Agenda Item Form

Districts Affected: 5 Dept. Head/Contact Information: Irene Ramirez, P.E., Assistant City Engineer Ext. 4422/Bashar Abugalyon, P.E., Chief Development Engineer Ext. 4157 Type of Agenda Item: Resolution □Staffing Table Changes ☐Board Appointments ☐Tax Refunds Tax Installment Agreements Donations ☐Budget Transfer RFP/ BID/ Best Value Procurement ☐ Item Placed by Citizen ☐Application for Facility Use ☐Bldg. Permits/Inspection Introduction of Ordinance Contract/Lease Agreement ☐ Grant Application ☐Interlocal Agreements ☑Other Conditional 'B' Building Permits Funding Source: ☐General Fund Grant (duration of funds: ____ Months) Other Source: Legal: Approved ☐ Denied Attorney Assigned (please scroll down): None Legal Review Required Timeline Priority: ☐High □Medium Low # of days:___ Why is this item necessary: Requested by: Ranchos Real VII, LTD. Explain Costs, including ongoing maintenance and operating expenditures, or Cost Savings: No costs **Statutory or Citizen Concerns:** In accordance with Section 18.02.103.1.1.6 Prerequisite to Issuance of Permits Tierra Del Este Unit Eighteen Subdivision **Departmental Concerns:** Department recommends approval

Agenda Date: Sept. 14, 2004

Date: September 7, 2004

TO: City Clerk
FROM: <u>Lucy L. McGee</u>
Please place the following item on the <u>Regular</u> Agenda for the Council Meeting of: <u>September 14, 2004</u>
Item should read as follows:
Discussion and action on approval of Conditional "B" building permits for:
Tierra Del Este Unit 18 Subdivision (District 5)
Special Instructions: <u>ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT FOR INFORMATION</u> <u>CONTACT:</u> <u>CHIEF DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER BASHAR ABUGALYON, P.E. AT 541-4157.</u>
City Clerk's Use
Action Taken: Item No

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Development Division

DATE:

September 7, 2004

TO:

Mayor & City Council

FROM:

Bashar Abugalyon, P.E., Chief Development Engineer

SUBJECT: Conditional "B" Building Permits -

Tierra Del Este Unit 18 Subdivision (District 5)

The above referenced request is scheduled for City Council Regular Agenda on September 14, 2004. The purpose of this memorandum is to provide you with general information concerning this request.

Under the City Building and Administrative Code, Section 18.02.103.1.1.6, developer may obtain building permits for up to 25% of the lots before all of the required subdivision improvements have been completed and accepted by the City. These are commonly called, "unconditional permits". "Conditional A" permits are permitted for the next 25% (up to 50% of the total) of lots. To obtain "Conditional A" permits, the developer must provide water and sewer service, curbing (but not street paving), drainage facilities, etc., necessary for the site in question. The developer must additionally provide a signed acknowledgment by the permit applicant that the certificate of occupancy for that lot will not be signed acknowledgment by the permit applicant that the certificate of occupancy for that lot will not be issued until all of the improvements affecting that lot have been completed and approved by the City.

Lastly, "Conditional B" permits may be issued if the developer complies with all of the "Conditional A" requirements and obtains permission from the City Council. In order for the City Council to grant such permission, the Council must make a finding. "...that additional permits should be issued based upon economic hardship or public benefit demonstrated by the subdivider".

At this hearing, then, the City Council should hear testimony or other evidence from the developer that justifies allowing more permits to be issued before all of the needed improvements have been accomplished, before deciding the issue.

If I can be of any further assistance regarding this matter, please don't hesitate to contact me at extension 4157.



RANCHOS REAL VI, LTD.

September 2, 2004

Bashar Abugalyon, P.E. Engineering Section Chief City of El Paso Engineering Dept. 2 Civic Center Plaza El Paso, Texas 79901

Re:

Tierra Del Este 18

Dear Bashar:

Ranchos Real VI, Ltd., the owner and developer of Tierra Del Este Unit 18 is respectfully requesting the approval of Condition "B" building permits for this subdivision.

All of the subdivision improvements have been completed except for paving on Phase 2. Request for street improvement acceptance for Phase I has been submitted and Phases II & III will be submitted in the near future as soon as paving is complete on Phase II and the Park is improved on Phase III. Development agreements for this subdivision are filed with the County Clerk's Office and enclosed with the request are copies of the development agreements.

The need for requesting Conditional "B" Permits is to allow the home builder to fulfill contract obligations for pre-sale contracts signed for this subdivision. Not meeting the delivery dates set on the contracts would constitute a hardship to the homebuilder due to breach of contract.

Please call us should you have any questions.

Respectfully,

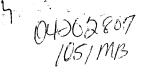
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By: Yes Vine-Rich

Project Coordinator

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Enclosures



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DEVELOPER:

APPLICANT:

EP PARK HILLS II, LTD.

BY: EP PARK HILLS, INC.

ITS GENERAL PARTNER

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This instrument was acknowledged before me on this 15+ day of 2004, by TIMOTHY C. FOSTER, Vice President of RANCHOS REAL DEVELOPERS, INC., a Texas corporation, on behalf of said corporation.

Susan McMillan
NOTARY PUBLIC FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS



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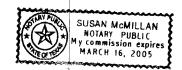
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My commission expires
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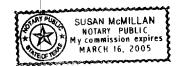
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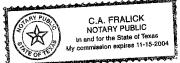
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APPLICANT:

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APPLICANT:

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This instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 2004, by BART PHILLIPS, President of PHILLIPS HOMES OF EL PASO, INC., a Texas corporation, on behalf of said corporation.

LINDA M. SANO
NOTARY PUBLIC
In and for the State of Texas
My commission expires
July 19, 2005

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